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1. Planning and design documents for entering the Gold King Mine in La Plata County, Colorado, to investigate wh I request the preliminary investigation into the Animas River pollution incident that occurred on August 6, 2015. Th I am requesting that the EPA disclose the name and contact information for any and all contracting companies that I request all river water data samples from the Gold King Mine spill in Colorado and New Mexico, from the affected I request any and all emails, meeting notes, incident action plans, and other similar items from any EPA employees On August 5, 2015, workers employed by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) triggered a breach at the Go On August 5, 2015, workers employed by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) triggered a breach at the Go On August 5, 2015, workers employed by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) triggered a breach at the Go On August 5, 2015, workers employed by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) triggered a breach at the Go (This is related to my previous FOIA, EPA-R8-2015-009712, submitted Aug. 7, 2015, but seeks different document Any and all email correspondence sent to or from the following Region 8 EPA officials regarding the Gold King Min Any and all photographs taken by a U.S. EPA cleanup team attempting to perform remediation actions at the the G 1. Any and all communications between any Environmental Protection Agency personnel, on the one hand, an

ether and how to pump wastewater out of the mine for cleanup and disposal. 2. Any risk assessments drawn up fo  
is request should be forwarded to the appropriate regional office if such information is not available at HQ. Addition  
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e, from Aug 4 to Aug 9, 2015. - Martin Hestmarek, Assistant Region 8 Administrator - Paula Smith, Communicatio  
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d any personnel in the executive or legislative branch of the United States government, including, but not limited to

r entering the Gold King Mine. 3. Any EPA guidelines and/or requirements for safety measures, planning and design ally, I would like the work experience of all EPA personnel who were onsite when the spill occurred. I would like to warded and the length of stay that the company was on the job.

cluding any preliminary data taken from the river from July 1 2015 through the processing of this request. I also req ocessing of this request. This includes all communications between parties discussing the Gold King mine disaste § 552 (the "Act"), Cable News Network, Inc. ("CNN") requests access to and copies of all records relating to comm § 552 (the "Act"), Cable News Network, Inc. ("CNN") requests access to and copies of all records relating to comm § 552 (the "Act"), Cable News Network, Inc. ("CNN") requests access to and copies of all audio, video, images rela § 552 (the "Act"), Cable News Network, Inc. ("CNN") requests access to and copies of all audio, video, images rela tractors, and officials of any state, county, municipality, Indian tribe or water utility, concerning the EPA's plans to e ns and Public Involvement - Joan Card, Senior Policy Advisor - Shaun McGrath, Region 8 Administrator - Jill Minte eanup team attempting to perform remediation at the Gold King mine site on or about August 5, 2015 that refer to t the United States Senate, the United States House of Representatives, the Department of the Interior and the Uni

ning entry into inactive mines for the purposes of cleanup activities. 4. The name of the on-site supervisor for the p know how long they have worked for the EPA, how long they have worked in their fields, and any degrees/profess

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erton, Colorado. The time period for this request is August 5, 2015 to present. 2. Any and all communications b

companies that provided contract labor, equipment or other services for the planned entry into the Gold King Mine not available yet, but the background information on the personnel should be available immediately.

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